

Claims:

1 1. A system for tracking employee time entries and for
2 generating invoices therefor, comprising:

3 an employee terminal;

4 an employee manager terminal; and

5 a TKET server coupled to receive time entries from the
6 employee terminal and coupled to produce the time entries to
7 the employee manager terminal, wherein the TKET server
8 generates a signal identifying approved time entries to at
9 least one of an accounting department terminal and a contract
10 employer terminal.

1 2. The TKET server of claim 1 including computer
2 instructions within an internal storage device that define
3 conditions under which an award may be paid to at least one
4 of the employee or the employee manager.

1 3. The TKET server of claim 2 further including a bank
2 of frequent flyer awards that may be issued electronically to
3 one of the employee or employee manager whenever the defined
4 conditions are satisfied.

1 4. The system of claim 1 wherein the server is coupled
2 to the employee terminal by way of a World Wide network.

1 5. The system of claim 1 wherein the server is coupled
2 to the employee terminal by way of a wireless network.

1 6. A method for awarding employees and employee
2 managers for using a time keeping and expense entry server
3 for entering and approving time, comprising:

4 receiving time entries from an employee terminal;
5 receiving an approval from an employee manager terminal;
6 transmitting approved time entries to one of an
7 accounting department terminal or a contract employer
8 terminal;

9 determining if the time entry and approval by the
10 employee and employee manager were made in a timely manner;
11 and
12 generating an award.

1 7. The method of claim 6 further including the step of
2 determining if the time entry and approval were made
3 according to a defined process.

1 8. The method of claim 7 further including the step of
2 generating an award to at least one of the employee and the
3 employee manager.

1 9. The method of claim 8 further including the step of
2 maintaining an amount of frequent flyer miles for use as an
3 award to employees and employee managers.

1 10. The method of claim 9 wherein the award is an award
2 of frequent flyer miles wherein the awarded frequent flyer
3 miles are subtracted from the amount of frequent flyer miles.

1 11. The method of claim 6 further comprising
2 transmitting a screen display to the user terminal.

1 12. The method of claim 11 wherein the server transmits
2 one of a plurality of screen formats according to terminal
3 type.

1 13. The method of claim 12 wherein the screen display
2 includes account codes to which a user of the user terminal
3 is authorized to charge against.

1 14. The method of claim 13 further including storing
2 authorized account codes in relation to employees.

1 15. The method of claim 14 wherein the server
2 determines to generate a reward, in part, by determining
3 whether the time entries were received for processing
4 according to specified requirements.

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16. A time keeping and expense tracking server comprising:

3 a processor;

4 a memory for storing computer instructions that define
5 the operational logic of the server; and

6 a bus coupled to allow the processor to receive and
7 execute the computer instructions, wherein the computer
8 instructions define logic that enables the server to:

9 determine whether an employee should receive a reward
10 for entering time or expense entries according to specified
11 guidelines defined within the computer instructions; and
12 generate an award when appropriate.

1 17. The server of claim 16 where the server also stores
2 a bank of frequent flyer awards that may be issued when
3 appropriate.

1 18. The server of claim 17 wherein the server issues
2 frequent flyer awards according to specified guidelines.